# SUPREME COURT MINUTES FRIDAY, APRIL 21, 2000 SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA

S086988 B.A.T. Industries P.L.C., Petitioner

4th Dist. v.

D035006 San Diego County Superior Court, Respondent

Div. 1 Operating Engineers Local 12 Health and Welfare Trust Fund et al.,

Real Party in Interest

Pursuant to written request of counsel for petitioner, the above

entitled petition for review is ordered withdrawn.

5th Dist. People, Respondent

F031155 v

William Dall Moody, Appellant

The time for granting or denying review on the court's own motion is hereby extended to and including May 26, 2000, or the date upon which review is either granted or denied. Rule 28(a)(1),

California Rules of Court.

S047131 In re Bronte Lamont Wright

on

Habeas Corpus

The order filed in the above matter on April 19, 2000, is hereby amended to read as follows:

The above-entitled case having become moot by the filing of a certified copy of the certificate evidencing the death of Bronte Lamont Wright, respondent's motion to abate is granted, and the petition for writ of habeas corpus is dismissed as moot. (*People* v. *Dail* (1943) 22 Cal.2d 642.)

S081408 In re Jack Farnam

on

Habeas Corpus

On application of petitioner and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file petitioner's reply to informal response to the petition for writ of habeas corpus is extended to and including June 20, 2000.

### S084616 Russell Day, Appellant

v.

City of Fontana et al., Respondents

On application of respondent City of Fontana and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file the answer brief on the merits is extended to and including May 24, 2000.

#### S085091 Hoechst Celanese Corporation, Appellant

v.

Franchise Tax Board, Respondent

On application of the Attorney General and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file respondent's opening brief on the merits is extended to and including May 12, 2000.

### S085736 Marianne Saelzler, Appellant

v.

Advanced Group 400 et al., Respondents

On application of respondents and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file the opening brief on the merits is extended to and including June 9, 2000.

## S085918 In re **Basil E. Clark** on Discipline

It is hereby ordered that **Basil E. Clark, State Bar No. 129154,** be disbarred from the practice of law and that his name be stricken from the roll of attorneys. He is also ordered to comply with rule 955, California Rules of Court, and to perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 days, respectively, after the date this order is effective.\* Costs are awarded to the State Bar.

\*(See Business & Professions Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

### S085919 In re **John V. Powell** on Discipline

It is hereby ordered that **John V. Powell, State Bar No. 84254**, be disbarred from the practice of law and that his name be stricken from the roll of attorneys. He is also ordered to comply with rule 955, California Rules of Court, and to perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 days, respectively, after the date this order is effective.\* Costs are awarded to the State Bar.

\*(See Business & Professions Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

- In the Matter of the Resignation of **Elmer Ellsworth Goshorn**A Member of the State Bar of California
  The voluntary resignation of **Elmer Ellsworth Goshorn**,
  #50624, as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted.
- In the Matter of the Resignation of **Julia Anita Craig**A Member of the State Bar of California
  The voluntary resignation of **Julia Anita Craig**, #74287 as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted.
- In the Matter of the Resignation of **Keith Charles Belling**A Member of the State Bar of California
  The voluntary resignation of **Keith Charles Belling**, #104217, as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted.
- In the Matter of the Resignation of Marsha Lee Rutenbar
  A Member of the State Bar of California
  The voluntary resignation of Marsha Lee Rutenbar,
  membership number 122627, as a member of the State Bar of
  California is accepted.
- In the Matter of the Resignation of **Charles Joseph Zabilski**A Member of the State Bar of California
  The voluntary resignation of **Charles Joseph Zabilski**,
  membership number 83072, as a member of the State Bar of
  California is accepted.
- S087318 In the Matter of the Resignation of **Albert Joseph Forn**A Member of the State Bar of California

The voluntary resignation of **Albert Joseph Forn**, #21973, as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted without prejudice to further proceedings in any disciplinary proceeding pending against him should he hereafter seek reinstatement. It is ordered that he comply with rule 955, California Rules of Court, and that he perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 60 and 70 days, respectively, after the date this order is filed.\* Costs are awarded to the State Bar.

\*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

S087518 In the Matter of the Resignation of **Samuel Reece**A Member of the State Bar of California

The voluntary resignation of **Samuel Reece, membership number 127002,** as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted without prejudice to further proceedings in any disciplinary proceeding pending against him should he hereafter seek reinstatement. It is ordered that he comply with rule 955, California Rules of Court, and that he perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 60 and 70 days, respectively, after the date this order is filed.\* Costs are awarded to the State Bar.

\*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

--- Inquiry Concerning A Judge, No. 157

Upon the request of the Commission on Judicial Performance for the appointment of three special masters in the above proceeding, the following justices selected by the commission from a list submitted by the Supreme Court, are hereby appointed special masters to hear and take evidence in such matter and report thereon to the commission. (See rule 121, Rules of Com. on Jud. Perfornance.)

- 1. Honorable Richard D. Huffman Court of Appeal, Fourth Appellate District, Division One.
- 2. Honorable Carol A.Corrigan Court of Appeal, First Appellate District, Division Three.
- 3. Honorable Art W. McKinster Court of Appeal, Fourth Appellate District, Division Two. Justice Huffman is designated presiding special master.

Dated: April 21, 2000

Ronald M. George Chief Justice of California and Chairperson of the Judicial Council